



# The Bow Valley Call

Devoted to the Up-Building of Gleichen and the Development of the District Generally



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## TOWN COUNCIL

The Council meeting last Friday evening was attended by all the councillors save Ald. Service, who is visiting in Scotland. Mayor Bray occupied the chair and by the time the previous minutes were adopted there was quite a nice gathering of citizens, and the mayor at once gave the visitors an opportunity to address the Council.

B. S. Corey was the first to take advantage of the offer and on behalf of the Alberta Transfer reviewed the coal situation during the present winter. He said that in the early part of the winter that Ex-mayor Rose and Alds. James, Bray and Leggat waited upon the Transfer company and discussed the coal famine, demanding the Alberta Transfer to supply the town with coal as they were then the only dealers in town. Taking it as a demand the company had proceeded to comply with the Council's wishes. The company took over and handled the two cars obtained from the Calgary Council and ordered more from the mines in the United States as it then was impossible to get coal in Alberta owing to the strike of the miners. The Transfer now has on hand about 400 tons of coal and he did not think it fair for the town to allow everyone now to deal in coal after making the demand on the Transfer. They had complied by getting the coal at the only available place at the time which was a better class and considerably more expensive. It was pointed out that many farmers are hauling in coal from the Indian mines and selling it about town, although the others who had been dealing in coal from outside points were not now doing very much. The Transfer therefore asked the Council to consider the advisability of demanding a license from all who sold coal in town. The company did not ask for a monopoly of the coal business, but believed they should have some consideration in disposing of the coal they were demanded to supply when none other appeared available.

The exact cost of the coal at the mines in the United States was shown, as well as the duty and freight paid on it to bring it to Gleichen, which indicated the Transfer could hardly make fifty cents per ton for the cost of handling it and investing the necessary capital. It was also stated that the company was not forcing its customers to buy this coal as they were also now handling Alberta coal.

The Council discussed the subject of a coal license for a short time but finally moved to leave the matter over until next meeting.

The first and second readings of By-law No. 35 was passed to raise the sum of \$5000 on motion of Alds. Henderson and Maisey.

## League Hockey Games

Gleichen played Brooks in the Bow Valley Hockey League series on Friday evening at Gleichen rink. A good crowd turned out to witness the game and the teams lined up in charge of Bishop of Bassano while Herb. McKie acted as judge of play. Brooks started off in good style and in a very short time took the lead by scoring the first goal. This served as an eye-opener to the Gleichen boys and they bombarded the Brooks goal most of the first half and scored 5 goals before it ended.

On resuming Gleichen again took the upper hand and scored three times. Then the Brooks boys got going and for a short time the game was in Brooks' favor and they rattled in 3 goals in short order. The game was of a ding-dong fashion until the end. Gleichen adding 2 more to their score, and the game finished 9 to 4 in favor of Gleichen.

Considering the weather the ice was in good condition but the game was not very fast, Brooks being a poor opposition.

All the boys played well, Johnson, Turnbull and Service were very effective and Gaudaur and McIntyre both worked hard and Aria was all that could be desired in goal.

Manager Gibson of the Gleichen Hockey Club made no mistake in chartering a special train to take the Gleichen rooters to Bassano Tuesday night, as over 200 were aboard at 7:45 when the train pulled out, which left the club a snug sum after paying expenses. In fact it was a surprise to note the interest taken in the game, for there were many aboard the special that were never before known to be inclined towards sport. They were a great bunch of rooters and each and every one appeared desperately in earnest to exercise their lungs. From the time the train pulled out until it returned there was an endless spelling of G-L-E-I-C-H-E-N.

Bassano reached there was an hour's delay before the game started, but in the meantime that town became thoroughly aware of their visitors presence. The question of the supply of good milk was brought up and discussed by several of the rate-payers and quite a hot discussion ensued in which some of those present severely criticized the milk they were receiving. The aldermen also took a lively interest in it and stated the sample sent to Edmonton to be tested by the Government was unfortunately delayed in transit and was sour when it reached the authorities, being, therefore, useless for testing purposes. A motion finally resulted in the milk question being left to the Board of Health to act upon.

A large number of accounts being presented Alds. Leggat and Maisey moved to have all paid accepted by the Finance committee, which were as follows:

## Gleichen Grain is Now Moving

Grain shipments from Gleichen may only now be said to have begun, but during the past week about seventeen carloads have been shipped from this point and still the three elevators are pretty well taxed to their limit.

This alone is a pretty nice statement to make in view of the fact that some have been heard to make the assertion that here the crops were a failure last year.

Any day in the week dozens of teams can be seen coming into Gleichen hauling in loads of grain from every point of the compass. Mr. McCammon, of the firm of McCammon & Ramsay, stated the other day that at one time he counted 46 teams at the elevators waiting to unload, which is really not so very unusual a sight in this town. Indeed, it is so usual that Gleichenites feel a little surprised when visitors from outside points call their attention to seven four-horse teams coming into town with grain. Mr. Mace, alone, has been doing this from the south for the past few weeks and he is worrying as to whether or not he will have half of his grain in before it is time to start spring operations for another big crop this year.

It may be interesting to many of our readers in distant parts to state even now not over two-thirds of last year's crop has been threshed. This is due largely to the want of more separators, although in some cases the exceptional weather conditions of last fall may be found fault with. In other words, threshing from the stock last fall was badly interfered with by an early fall of snow, but admitting this, there was not nearly enough threshing machines in the district to handle the big crops and it will be along in the spring before all the threshing is completed.

However, it is the opinion that while the grain was not of as high a grade as usual last year, the quantity shipped will likely be far in excess of previous years, and the prices obtained per bushel almost equal.

From Cluny it is learned as many as eight cars were shipped one day last week and at Nanton there has also been quite a number sent out the past week.

tremendous applause. Then the game grew faster and faster, first at one end and then at the other very close shots were made, but the first half ended 1-1.

The second half started even faster than the first and it required nine minutes for Gleichen to make the first score. More good playing resulted and then Booth was accidentally knocked out and was carried off the ice. Another fifteen minutes of hard work resulted when Bassano counted another in the net. Real hard playing followed to the end without count, leaving the score 2-2.

After a few minutes rest the boys went at it again and Bassano got two goals. In two minutes more Gleichen counted another. Then another Bassano man struck the ice. Play resumed, however, but neither sides were able to score, resulting in a score of 3-4 in Bassano's favor.

To quote a Calgary spectator: "I have seen nearly all of the Calgary games this winter, but have not seen better hockey than this game. It is sure some hockey and I must say that we city folks in Calgary have not as much enjoyment as in this little town. I feel like congratulating both Bassano and Gleichen on their fine sporting qualities shown here tonight."

Several attempts at tripping resulted in players on the fence and while there was some roughness it was done so carefully that many failed to note it.

Everyone admitted W. H. McKie was an excellent referee and A. Bishop was fair as judge of play.

The line-up was as follows:

BASSANO	GLEICHEN	
Tegardine	goal	Arial
Boulder	point	Struthers
Booth	c. point	Gaudaur
McLary	l. wing	McIntyre
Stubbs	centre	Turnbull
Flanagan	rover	Johnson
McClary	r. wing	Service

who is already well known here, has been engaged for the occasion in a letter to Hon. Secy. W. H. James he says:

"I am arranging the finest musical program for that night and can safely say that it will put everything so far right in the shade. All the latest hits will be played and I mean to make this the finest ball in Gleichen if good music will do it. I am bringing my finest violinist and every soloist in the orchestra. The latest hits will conclude:

"Twosteps:  
"You've Got to Take me Home Tonight."  
"Beautiful Doil."  
"Steamboat Bill."  
"Ocean Roll."  
"Put Your Arms Around me Honey." (From Madam Sherry.)

The latest rag:  
"A Slippery Piece." (a great hit and a regular trombone sneeze.)

Waltzes:  
"San Toy" (Chinese opera)  
"Floradora."  
"III Travatore and Carmen."  
"Evening Star."  
"Composita."  
"Down at the Folies Bergers."  
"Hypnotic."

Schottische:  
"Every Little Movement."  
"Cuddle up a Little Closer."

At the supper hour, if you are agreeable, I will put on one of the prettiest pieces of music, the latest flower song, "Tulips and Pansies". Beattie's orchestra was the first to introduce it in Calgary a week ago and it is one of my favorite pieces.

### Talk to Your Horse

Talk to your horse and teach him to obey your voice as well as the reins is the sensible advice offered to drivers by "Spirit of the West." This may prove valuable if, as sometimes happens, the lines break or come unbuckled. Besides, the horse likes the sociability of it. He easily learns a dozen or more words, but be careful to use them only for exactly what you mean. For instance "who!" means to stop at once and stand perfectly still; "get up!" to go straight ahead and at once "back" to step backward; "easy" or "steady" to slow up. These words the horse readily learns and takes kindly to. "Walk" means to change at once to a walk; and "alright," spoken in a calm reassuring tone, means "don't be afraid that won't hurt you," and it is wonderful to see what a calming effect it has. Speak firmly but not sharply to the horse, for they are nervous creatures. Talking to your horse will make him more intelligent and more friendly.

At least common decency is due to a horse. His home should be kept clean.

East of Gleichen hundreds of antelope are feeding on the grain stubble fields of last year's crop. Saturday a well-known Calgary man came up from Brooks on the train and to our reporter stated that with other passengers on the train he estimated they saw not less than 500. In some little bunches it was his belief that there were fully 200 and it was surprising to see how little attention the animals paid to the noise of the train as it passed. It was the generally expressed opinion of the passengers that either the laws of Alberta were rigidly enforced or that the sportsmen of this valley were exceptionally good.

During the past few days the Call has received quite a few society items, and we sincerely thank those who sent them in. Now that we have got a number interested we would like to ask all to send in as many items as they can by Saturday of each week and we will be pleased to run society column. We may once more repeat that the Call staff is obliged to keep working the entire week and if items of interest are crowded out it is too often for the reason that they should have been sent in many days previously. Remember, ladies, that Monday and Tuesday are our busy days and Wednesday we must print.

Again thanking you, we beg to remain,

Yours very respectfully,  
TOWN OF GLEICHEN,  
Charles J. Bray, Mayor.  
W. J. Burr, Sec.-Treas.

## The Citizens Ball

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The song of the plumber is soon to be heard in Gleichen for the town council is now exacting a license from all doing business here under the new by-law. When John Myers, whose farm is near Mitchell, S. D., hauled in a load of alfalfa seed last November he slipped into his wallet, a check

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Gleichen, Alberta, February 8, 1912

The sixth annual Provincial Seed Fair is to be held this year at Macleod from February 27th to 29th. Good cash prizes and trophies are offered by the Department of Agriculture. The Call has been particularly requested by the Department to draw the attention of the farmers of this district to the fair, and to ask them to attend and send an exhibit of grain, grass or clover seed. A program will be put on during the morning and afternoon of February 28th and 29th. The subjects will be of particular interest to those interested in grain production, and will be handled by men acquainted with conditions and eminently qualified to discuss them intelligently and in a practical manner.

Major Bray informs us that it is the intention of the Council within the next week or two to call a public meeting of the citizens to discuss the advisability of extending the waterworks and sewerage system and the advisability of installing an electric light plant in connection with the power plant. He points out by holding this meeting it will be possible to obtain some idea of the wishes of the ratepayers, and should it be considered unfavorably the trouble and expense of preparing and publishing by-laws would be eliminated. Already a good deal of information on the subject has been obtained but before the meeting is called it is hoped to have full details to place before the citizens. This move should prove not only an advantage but a very popular one, as it is the intention to take a ballot at the meeting to learn the feeling of the voters as near as possible and to be guided accordingly.

Most potent of all single influences in building of this, the mightiest nation in history, is the cow. Her sons drew the plows which first cultivated the land of the new world; hauled to market the products of the field and with slow energy moved the chattels and household goods beyond the mountains to new homes in the farther west.

They supplied the beef which is the food of the Anglo-Saxon, a race that was never conquered since history began. They furnished the shoes of the pioneer who trod the unknown wilds and made of them the farmsteads and cities of our present enlightenment. They gave the clothes and robes to protect the pioneer against the destroying blasts of winter, and made commerce possible before the railroad was. They covered the chair upon which he sat, filled the mattress upon which he slept, and glued together the furniture he used.

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As she helped to develop the farm from the wilderness and as she ate of its first fruits, so she will renew the life of the soil and make a still greater agriculture possible.

In all our history the cow has been man's closest friend and benefactor. Upon their products are built the great business interests which centre in the stockyards, the creameries, the shoe factories, the harness shops and the mills. Without her Chicago would be a village and Kansas a prairie waste.

Take away the cow and our banks would close, our graveyards yawn and the wheels of commerce would cease to turn. Foster and care for her and business flourishes, the fertility of the soil is conserved, and she becomes the custodian of the nation's prosperity.

The plans of the Canadian Board of Control of the seventh International Dry-Farming Congress have shaped themselves early, and everything presages the greatest agricultural meeting and exposition ever held in the northwest. It will be the most important year of work in the history of this marvelous movement.

The Dominion government will give full co-operation in the Congress, and it is believed that the Duke of Connaught will open the congress on October 21st in person, the invitation to him, as well as to the Duchess, to attend, being favorably received and now under consideration. Premier Borden, Minister of the Interior Rogers, and Minister of Agricultural Burrell, have announced the acceptance of the invitation to attend and participate in the deliberations of the Congress, and arrangements are making for a large delegation of other Dominion officials and agricultural department men. In addition the ministers of agriculture of the province of British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba will attend, and also a large number of their staff of investigators, instructors, demonstrators and farm experts.

The United States secretary of agriculture, Hon. James Wilson, is expected to attend, and the co-operation of his department has already been assured, which means the sending of a score or more of its agricultural experts.

President Taft has been invited, and his acceptance is said to be dependent upon the conditions in the fall, as the national election is in November, only two weeks after the congress.

The Dominion government has already arranged to send to Lethbridge a squadron of the world-famous Northwest Mounted Police, whose red coats, military bearing, perfect drill and reputation has made them the most talked-of organization in the world. They will do escort duty to the Dominion, Provincial and State dignitaries and act as body guard to the Dominion, Provincial and State dignitaries and act as body guard

to the Duke of Connaught and the ambassadors of the foreign powers who will attend.

The Canadian Board of Control is composed of active agriculturist and educational leaders in the western provinces, the chairman of the executive being Mr. Fred W. Downer, of Lethbridge, a well-known land owner and capitalist of southern Alberta, the honorary chairman being the Hon. Duncan Marshall, Minister of Agriculture of Alberta, and the cream of Canadian citizenship being associated as active workers in the various sub-committees.

The dates of the big congress and exposition have been fixed for the week beginning October 21st, a week when the farmers from the United States, having completed harvest and threshing, will be able to participate in goodly numbers, and when the Canadian harvests being finished the western provinces can not only assemble large delegations but can make a creditable exhibit.

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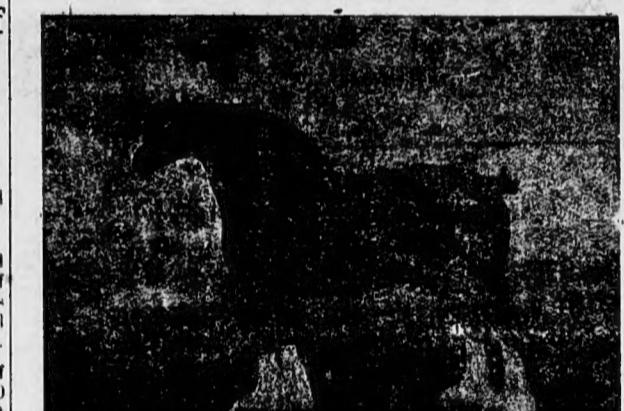
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### Another New Business

### St. James' Pool Room and Bowling Alleys

This New Play House is now opened for Business in the Gleichen Trading Co.'s Block with the Best Pool Tables and Bowling Alleys obtainable

The Alleys are of the famous Brunswick-Balke-Collender Co. make, and three in number

The TABLES are the Most Modern

A Full Supply of

Cigars, Cigarettes and Tobaccos  
Will Always be Kept

Remember the Manager's name—JACK JAMES.



### Palameter Sisters

These high-class artists will give an entertainment in the Gleichen Opera House under the auspices of the Gleichen Hockey Club

Thursday, Feb. 22nd

The Club will give a dance after the show

### Will Spend Over Five Million Dollars in Bow Valley This Year

J. S. Dennis, Manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's land and irrigation interests in the west has returned after an absence of nearly three months in Great Britain, during which time he made a thorough inspection of the Company's agencies, and transacted other general business matters.

The most important announcement made by Mr. Dennis on his return was to the effect that an appropriation of five and a half million dollars was authorized for the continuation of the irrigation project, colonization, etc.

In the course of an interview

Mr. Dennis expressed himself very pleased with his trip, stating that prospects for an increased immigration from the old country and Europe this year, are very bright indeed, and in spite of the partial crop failure last year no difficulty

whatever was experienced in securing a number of first-class British farmers to take up the "Ready-made" farms that are prepared for them in Selkirk, Cluny, Namaqua and other districts.

"I found very great interest on

the part of financial people in Great Britain," said Mr. Dennis, "in Western Canada, and a general eagerness for any legitimate enterprise in this country. Many English capitalists will visit the Dominion this summer with the intention of buying land independently, and I think the coming year will see an influx of British settlers and British capital into the West, such as never before."

Publicity regarding the winning of the Shaughnessy wheat prize for

the world's best wheat at the recent New York Land Show has gone far and wide, and in responding

to the toast 'Canada' at the London Chamber of Commerce banquet I

took occasion to refer to this fact.

I always felt that Canadian wheat

stood at the top of the tree, and at the New York Land Show it

was definitely proven that it is in

a class by itself."

Continuing, Mr. Dennis referred

briefly to the prosperity that reigned

in Western Canada, and how Can-

ada's trade with the mother coun-

try was steadily increasing.

Chief Engineer Dawson, who returned

from Montreal with Mr. Dennis,

stated that several large timber

and concrete contracts would be

let in the near future in connection

with construction in the Eastern

section, and that the canal work

would be prosecuted with even

greater vigor than heretofore.

On his way back from Montreal,

Mr. Dennis visited several of the

larger American cities, and the re-

ports received from agents while

in those cities indicate that immi-

gration into the West from across

the border will this year be larger

than ever.

### Thinking Themes

There is after all, no God but my god. Whoever the habitant of heaven's throne and earth's rule may be, He is in the last analysis of my personal something. Whatever real religion a man has is entirely an affair between him-

Drinking a friend's health is a poor way to improve your own.

### JOSEPH SIMARD

CLUNY

WILL PAY the HIGHEST PRICE

For Good Grade of

WHEAT and OATS

By the load or car lots

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John Deere Plow Co. Moline Wagons

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I am carrying a full line of Pure Manilla Binder Twine  
650 Feet to the Pound.

Also Wagons, Plows, Harrows, Discs, Drills, Seed Cleaners, Etc.,

Sole Agent in this District for the Improved Brandon Sub-surface Packer This machine is highly recommended by Prof. Campbell in his Soil Culture Method.

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Loose Leaf System  
Is the  
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IT FITS EVERY  
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Apply to

Sunny Belt Elevator, Gleichen.

## NEW BRUNSWICK HEARD FROM AGAIN

ANOTHER SPLENDID CURE BY  
DOOD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Mr. Ben Gauvin had backache so bad he had to quit work—Odeon's Kidney Pills fixed him up.

Patriotic Merchant, Ked. Co., N.B.

Mr. Gauvin, a citizen of New Brunswick tells of cures made by Dood's Kidney Pills. "No treatment can contribute its share. Mr. Dood's Kidney Pills have been my best bet."

He states that he owns another Kidney Pill which he gave to the great Canadian.

Mr. Dood's Kidney Pills can do more than cure backache. In an interview:

"Before I started taking them I had a bad case of asthma. I give up work and I also had to be careful about my diet. I now take two boxes a day, and have no backache, all told.

Dood's Kidney Pills are a cure-all. They only cure kidneys. But they also cure asthma, rheumatism, bad kidneys you can't have backaches, rheumatism, bright's disease, diabetes or gouty."

Not Property Thunder. Even the greatest actors-managers do not know much about stagecraft, judge from a curious story concerning St. Herbert Headphones, star of "The Wizard of Oz."

It appears that at the rehearsal of a certain play at His Majesty's Theatre in London, the stage carpenter, which was to be heightened by the use of a pulley system, was tight-lipped about the stage carpenter's secret.

The words were repeated continually, and it resembled a succession of pistol shots was heard.

"What on earth are you doing, making such noise?" asked the man behind the scenes.

"I only say, 'Get a bit higher!'"

"Awfully sorry," groaned the carpenter, "but the fact is, sir, I could not get a bit higher in the storm. That was thunder, sir."

Miss Clifton—Yes, she was furious about the way in which that paper reported her. "I'm not Mrs. Avondale. Did it alude to her age?"

Miss Clifton—Indirectly. It stated that she was a widow, and that she married the latter being a well-known collector of antiques.

You names, please! fetch child!

You think you're catching cold. Don't wait until you know it. Take a dose of Dood's Kidney Pill and you can't catch cold.

Miss Prayna—Where did you get the design of your servant's livery?

Miss Prayna—Indeed? By whom were they supplied?

**Shiloh's Cure**

whole store, soap, cold cream, bath salts, etc.

When the people talk of "the good things of life," surely enough they are not mean to the best things. They are not mean to the best things in man or woman will never let the poor old soul down. They are not mean to the higher and better things. Only guidance does that.

Our Friend Prejudices

It is most remarkable one of the most deeply-rooted of our friend prejudices. In health care, we are accustomed to sacrifice horses to their owners, and men to their wives. After the bride would ensure good fortune for the husband, the sacrifice, of herself, was forbidden.

On German lands that "some

of the inhabitants of Germany still exist in future."

When any of the German

were married, the restriction was withdrawn; whereas

in Europe, the bride after a person indicated the hope that a success would be attained in the union upon which he was starting.

The outlines of the special course

which the bride's side to the father and the bride's head to him,

was to be married to him.

After he had shown his authority. Later arose the custom of the bride's side to the father after the bride would ensure good fortune for the husband, the sacrifice, of herself, was forbidden.

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# GRAIN ACT MAY PROVIDE RELIEF FOR THE FARMERS

**Explanation of the Provisions of the Measure Now Under Consideration at Ottawa--The Chief Problem is That of Transportation of Grain**

Ottawa, Ont.—In the Commons, on the second reading of the grain act, Hon. G. E. Foster recited the various steps which had led up to the introduction of this legislation. The bill, he said, derives its importance from the subject from which it deals. It is based largely on the result of an investigation commenced in 1906 by a commission named to report on the grain trade of Canada. That commission traced the progress of wheat from the time it was sold by the farmer until it reached its destination in Europe.

The commission produced a report which had not often been surpassed for compactness and clearness. They reported against a simple market and in favor of strict supervision over Eastern elevators in order to insure the identity of the wheat. They were against ownership in addition to these recommendations. They suggested a number of amendments to the grain act.

In 1908, Hon. Mr. Foster said, a conference of all the interests concerned was held at Ottawa before the minister and the whole matter threatened out. As a result the grain and inspection act was strengthened by the inclusion of the principle laid down. Last year a large delegation came to Ottawa and as a result of further conferences a bill was introduced in the Senate and referred by that body to a special committee, which heard all parties concerned. The bill finally passed the Senate. Although an agreement was reached on most points there still remained some differences.

Hon. Mr. Foster said the measure now under consideration was the bill

which passed the Senate last session with some betterments. In considering its scope one was struck with the idea that no other country in the world has a system of grain inspection so complex and thorough as Canada. No other commodity is surrounded by so much legal restrictions. Whether this was for the best or not was a matter of opinion, but it is certain that there is still a large body of opinion which desires additional regulation.

After describing the protection given to the farmer in the sale and disposal of his crop, Hon. Mr. Foster said that it was hoped by the present bill to make the whole system as strong and thorough as it can be made. The main trouble which remained to be dealt with was one of transportation.

It was a serious obstacle to the removal of the crop that for several months of the year it could come out of the west over one line of railway only. Serious conditions had arisen in the West this year, and he was convinced that the railways had done their best. By patience and co-operation a solution of the difficulties would likely be brought about in due course.

In another year or two the N. T. R., which will double the transportation facilities, will be complete. Later on the Canadian Northern would have a transcontinental line, and in the course of a few years the Hudson Bay Railway would be built. He thought that there were great possibilities in the proposal to ship grain to points as far east as Moose Jaw to Pacific waters. Much could be expected from this route once the Panama Canal is complete.

## CIVIL WAR BEFORE HOME RULE

**So Says Henry Chaplin, Referring to the Situation in Ulster**

London, Eng.—Henry Chaplin, referring to the situation in Ulster, congratulated Sir Edward Carson, Lord Londonderry, and Ulster men for their noble stand in the cause of Union. He made it clear that despite the conspiracy to break up the constitution and emasculate the house of lords, home rule, without a direct mandate from the people, will never be carried without civil war in Ireland. The government forgot to reckon with the courage and patriotism of Ulster. In conclusion he said:

"I believe the leaders of the Ulster party have killed home rule before its birth, and that it will be found to be still-born."

Following Mr. Chaplin, Austin Chamberlain said that if the claim for home rule was good, then the claim for separate treatment for Ulster was equally good. Account must be taken of the difference of the history between the two sections of the Irish people, or the home rule bill would be useless. The history of the Irish parliament was an inglorious one. It gave the people no peace or prosperity. In short, there is no practical grievance to which they can point today that justifies their demand for breaking partnership with the United Parliament.

## BUILDING LE PAS BRIDGE

**Two Remaining Piers of Hudson Bay Bridge Will be Completed by March.**

Le Pas, N.W.T.—On the Hudson Bay railway bridge considerable preparatory work has been achieved. The engines have been closed in as well as the concrete mixer and the gravel tract. The pile drivers are almost in working position. Two more weeks should see everything in readiness and by the end of March the two piers that remain to be erected should be completed. The force of the Saskatchewan current can be judged by the fact that considerable steel piling on the last pier's calson has been either torn off or badly bent by the rushing waters of last summer.

## MAY ENLARGE RAILWAY BOARD

**Ottawa Citizen Prints Semi-Official Story to This Effect**

Ottawa, Ont.—The Evening Citizen says: "It is doubtful if all legislation respecting the railroad commission is introduced this session, but when it is brought down, it will in all probability, be to enlarge the present board. The idea of creating a western commission as intimated some time ago is objectionable because of the conflict with the board in the east. By enlarging the membership, however, there will be sufficient commissioners to thoroughly cover the territory."

## WILL FRAME TARIFF

**Bonar Law and Sir Max Aitken Will Build One for England**

London.—The Daily News states that during their stay in the width of France Andrew Bonar Law, leader of the opposition, and Sir Max Aitken will frame a scale of suggested tariff for the United Kingdom.

Sir Max Aitken has been specially asked to assist because of his considerable experience in tariffs in his native Canada and because he is generally considered to have the best financial judgment of any of the present generation of Unionists.

## Ministers Oppose Hindu Request

Ottawa, Ont.—The government is in receipt of protests from the ministerial association of Vancouver against the admitting of wives of Hindus into Canada. The report of F. C. Blair, the special commissioner who was sent to the coast to study the subject, is expected very shortly. Until his report is received no action will be taken in regard to admitting the wives of two Hindus who have already arrived at the coast.

## ONT. WILLING TO CONCEDE LAND

**Will Give Manitoba 25,000 Square Miles for Port on the Hudson Bay**

Ottawa, Ont.—Premier Roblin, of Manitoba, and Hon. Colin Campbell, minister of public works for that province, have been in conference with Hon. Robert Rogers and other federal ministers in connection with the proposed boundary extension of Manitoba. Though nothing definite has been learned so far concerning the financial terms which will go with the extension, something interesting has been disclosed in connection with the direction which the new boundary may take.

The claims of Ontario are insistent. That province is determined to have an outlet to the bay at all costs, and in order that her claim may be respected, she is ready to concede Manitoba the right to an additional 25,000 square miles of territory eastward from Manitoba in return for the concession of 4,000 square miles of Beacon Point peninsula at the mouth of the Nelson river. On this basis a tentative boundary line has been drawn up by which the new line, instead of extending from the northeast corner of Manitoba, will extend from the south and run for some distance toward Lac Seul and English River, curving northward thence until it strikes a point five miles from Beacon Point on the south shore of the Nelson.

By this means, the Ontario claimants point out, Manitoba would receive a large additional area of land which might prove to be valuable, while Ontario would be enabled to have a harbor of her own on the bay, with comparatively small concession of rights on the part of Manitoba.

Though it is contended by the Manitoba members that Ontario has no right to claim such a share of the port, it is considered probable that an agreement on this basis may be arrived at. It is pointed out that the portion claimed by Ontario is of little value since at high tide the greater part of it is under water, and the cost of constructing a harbor would be enormous at that point. In view of these facts it may be possible that Premier Roblin may be induced to make the concession in order that peace may reign in the government ranks at Ottawa.

It is understood that a bill will be drafted and brought down in the house in the near future.

## SINGLE TAX IN ALBERTA

**Cities Will Soon All be on That Basis—Provincial Legislature Expected**

Edmonton, Alta.—The introduction of the single tax may be made widespread in the province by the anticipation that the government may bring down a bill in the legislature enacting that form of taxation for villages. It is understood that nothing has been decided as yet. The suggestion that single taxation be applied to villages, has, however, met with considerable favor from some members of the cabinet.

This would seem to be the next logical move in the present trend in the province toward general single taxation. Edmonton has had it for some years. Calgary will, through its gradual reductions of 25 per cent, gradually reach single taxation within a few years. Medicine Hat probably has accomplished it. This means that within a few years all cities in the province will be on the single tax basis, and probably legislation to that effect will be introduced into the legislature in year or two.

## Dairy Industry to be Developed

Regina, Sask.—Close observers state that the growth of the dairy and cattle industries in Southern Saskatchewan has not kept pace with industrial development in other lines, and the belief is freely expressed that there are vast unrealized opportunities in this somewhat neglected field. It is noted, for instance, that at no time of the year is there a surplus of milk, cream or butter to be found in the Regina markets; while during the winter months there is often a marked tendency to shortage. The Dominion Dairy and Produce Co. Ltd., recently organized here, is regarded as the most feasible solution of present difficulties. The company has acquired 960 acres of land, and will produce all its dairy products under the most sanitary conditions, being equipped with up-to-date pasteurizing and butter-making plants, designed to handle an adequate output at all seasons of the year.

**Railways Centre at Red Deer**

Red Deer, Alta.—Six railways operating through this point in the early months of the future would seem to assure the position of Red Deer as the logical supply centre for an area of country extending at least 200 miles both east and west. This railway development is already in progress, as is evidenced by the rapid advance of construction work on the new Moose Jaw-Vancouver line which is to be its headquarters at Red Deer; on the easterly line from Red Deer to Saskatoon; on the Canadian Northern short line from Strathcona; as well as on several other lines whose rights of way are now being graded in the near vicinity. Local real estate men and others are laying their plans for a season of unprecedented activity.

**PURE BRED CATTLE FOR WEST**

Scotch Farmer Will Ship 100 Holsteins to Edmonton

London.—The Daily News states that during their stay in the width of France Andrew Bonar Law, leader of the opposition, and Sir Max Aitken will frame a scale of suggested tariff for the United Kingdom.

Sir Max Aitken has been specially asked to assist because of his considerable experience in tariffs in his native Canada and because he is generally considered to have the best financial judgment of any of the present generation of Unionists.

**ROBIN HOOD MILLS AT MOOSE JAW AGAIN**

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Ottawa, Ont.—Negotiations for the rebuilding of the Robin Hood mills in this city have been almost completed. Only a few minor details remain to be arranged and work will immediately commence on new buildings much greater than the former ones.

## ALBERTA HAIL INSURANCE BILL

**United Farmers Insist That It Shall be Administered by Government**

Edmonton, Alta.—The new hail insurance bill, now being passed through the Legislature, was discussed by a deputation of the United Farmers of Alberta with the Minister of Agriculture. The United Farmers insist that the hail insurance shall be governmentally administered. The bill in its present stage provides for private companies being permitted to do the insuring for hail risks as they do for fire, accidents, or any of the kinds of regular insurances.

The United Farmers insist that compulsory hail insurance be enacted throughout the province. This they now admit is neither desirable nor proper nor feasible.

The deputation, including Messrs Tregillus, president of the organization, Bevington of Stony Plain, and Scarsen, of Strathmore. These representatives are understood to have suggested that they would be satisfied if the new bill provided for a hail insurance which would be workable through the co-operative efforts of the government and municipalities. The municipalities would levy the necessary tax and revise the funds, which the government would administer. The municipalities would make the inspections of damage done and would collect the annual premiums, but the total funds would be invested and handled by the government. The United Farmers are said to want this. This means the scheme cannot go into effect until next year, for the rural municipalities would not be established until 1913. The Insurance Bill, which has passed its reading, but which has not been presented to the Legislature in printed form, may be delayed now until changes have been made to make it in accord with the wishes of the United Farmers. They insist that private companies shall not take their hail risks.

## LINES GET TOO MUCH SCOPE

**Bill Respecting C. N. R. Branches Allocated to Stand Over**

Ottawa, Ont.—When the bill respecting Canadian Northern branch lines in the West came up for consideration in the railway committee, exception was taken to the description of several routes described in the bill as the lines of an agreement reached with the Legislative of Alberta. W. F. McLean and J. G. Turiff said that the descriptions were of too general a character. One line, it was pointed out, was run to a point on Peace River. This would mean that it could touch any point on the whole length of that waterway.

Hon. Frank Cochrane, minister of railways, was disposed to agree with the contention that the routes were too loosely described. He suggested that the company take the matter up with the western government concerned. The bill was allowed to stand over.

During consideration of a bill to incorporate the Pacific Trans-Canada railway, H. H. Stevens, member for Vancouver, moved that none but white labor be employed on the section of the line to be constructed in British Columbia. Chairman Lennox said that such a ruling could not be applied to one railway. A general rule would have to be made for all railway companies.

## Magnet for Homesteaders

**MOOSE JAW, SASK.—A striking collection of maps and timely information is presented in the publicity literature of the Moose Jaw board of trade now being sent out. In summing up the seven best reasons for locating in Moose Jaw the following statements are made: Moose Jaw is the industrial centre of Saskatchewan; it is the railway centre of the province; it is the largest manufacturing centre of the province; it is the site of the largest wholesalers; a vast shipping territory is dependent upon it as a base of supplies; it has easy access to market; and finally it possesses superior facilities for educational and social advancement. It is also noted that of the total homestead entries throughout the mid-western provinces, one out of four were registered in Moose Jaw; while something like seven out of every nine pre-emptions made in the two provinces of Manitoba and Saskatchewan were made at this point.**

## A Handsome Testimonial

Ottawa, Ont.—A handsome testimonial of their regard for Sir Wilfrid Laurier was recently made by the Liberals of the Yukon, on behalf of whom Mr. Fred Congdon, ex-M. P., presented Sir Wilfrid with an address of solid gold, with a northern scene worked out in gold upon the handle. A golden sun is shown rising behind hills of gold, about the feet of which spruce is growing and a silver river running with miners' cabins planted along it, and a long moose coming down for a drink. There is a gold ink bottle and the address is contained in a mouse skin case which has pick, shovel and pan burned upon it. From the pan nuggets of real gold are spilling.

## WHERE CONTRACTORS KEEP BUSY

North Battleford, Sask.—Extensive construction work is now being booked for this city for the coming season. Engineers are preparing plans for the enlargement of the municipal electric light plant to four times its present capacity. A high level bridge is to be built at a cost of four million dollars to connect the city with its neighbor, Battleford. Two wholesale fruit companies will start building warehouses within the next few weeks; and a number of large wholesale and retail stores are being planned for, in addition to many private residences.

## Ovation to Shuster

London.—W. Morgan Shuster received a remarkable ovation, and his claim for Persian independence was enthusiastically cheered at a banquet which the Persian committee, composed of members of the House of Commons and other prominent men, gave in honor of the American treasurer-general of Persia at the Savoy Hotel.

## Plenty of Snow

**To Protect Winter Wheat in the Edmonton District**

Edmonton, Alta.—J. L. Porter, whose services have been retained by the Central Alberta Development League, for the purpose of explaining the publicity exhibits that body will send out in the coming season, is acquainting himself with all conditions of climate and their effect on the crops by driving around the country during the winter weather.

When asked if the snow was going too rapidly for the time of the year, he replied that he thought there would be more snow before the final breakup which would supply needed moisture. In any case, there is going to be plenty of snow at present to protect winter wheat from any frosts which might come before the end of the season.

## HIGH PRICES FOR BEEF

**THE DAYS OF CHEAP BEEF SAID TO BE OVER**

**A Recognized Authority on Live Stock Interests Is of Opinion that the Passing of the Ranches in Alberta, Canada and Texas, is Responsible for Present Conditions—More Money in Cattle Than Wheat.**

Ottawa, Ont.—"The days of cheap beef are over, because the days of free grass are past. For a period, during the days of the American and Canadian ranches, beef was cheap on account of the vast areas of free grass. Those days are over. We must expect high prices in beef the world over."

Such, in part, is the statement of James E. Poole, of Chicago, recognized authority on live stock questions, who has just returned from the Old Country, where he was for the past few months, investigating conditions in that regard. The passing of the ranches in Alberta, Colorado, Texas, and other former cattle countries, has, in the opinion of Mr. Poole, been largely responsible for the present conditions. The only great cattle raising country left at present is the Argentine, and the packers, foreseeing this, have shifted their operations thither, and, backed by British and American capital, have cornered the industry and formed a colossal system, by which they practically control the production and consumption of beef all over the world.

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"Free food in England is a cardinal principle, and the German working class represented in the Reichstag by the Socialist members are fully converted to that principle. There is no doubt but that they will insist that the agrarian interests be protected no longer, and the consequence will be that the packers will be allowed to come in, not only to Germany but to Austria and Italy. In fact, the packers have already underway arrangements to meet the demand which they are sure will come.

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